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RE: Pilot Study
SMA 4 – Former Chemical Plant
EPA ID Number: ALD 000 828 848
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Mr. Hardegree:

I am writing to provide an update regarding the ISCO Pilot Study actively underway to remediate the dissolved plume containing petroleum hydrocarbons at SMA-4.

Although there are no substantive issues to update you on with respect to the next injection phase since our last update, it may be August 2021 before Regensis returns to implement the Phase II injection. Previously, we indicated the second phase would take place in June or July, 2021.

While we continue to focus our efforts on this issue and others affecting the coke plant, we would respectfully request that the parties table any planned discussions regarding SMA-3 (Coke Manufacturing Plant), until such time that the work required for SMA-4 has been completed.

As mentioned in prior correspondence, Bluestone will provide further updates when we have reached additional milestones in the future. Should you have any questions regarding matters pertaining to SMA-4, or scheduling discussions regarding SMA-3 after the second injection for SMA-4 is complete, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best regards,

Hunter Naff

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